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LETTER FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, NOV. 5TH, 1855.

EDITOR FIREMAN'S JOURNAL:—The Election is over, and an enthusiastic one it was, and I may add, a funny one—somewhat amusing. Old politicians were lost, confused, bewildered, annoyed, astonished. One would say he was once a whig or a democrat, but that party could not be found pure, unadulterated now Another would ask what the American or Republican parties were; whether whigs, democrats or temperance men — The tickets were complete medleys; fused, hardened, and softened. Some would get disgusted, and not vote; others would pick out some they fancied on each ticket, and vote that way—so passed the day quietly away, considering the warmth of the partizans engaged. It is quite singular that there were no serious rows or encounters. In some of the most fractious wards there were a few knock downs, but no riots; one lad, however, about fifteen years old, was struck on the head with a cane or club while standing in the evening looking at a bonfire of one of the victorious parties, which caused his death. Previous to the election the Mayor issued a Proclamation to enforce the law prohibiting any military company parading the streets for five days previous to an election. He also prohibited the Police from participating in the election further than their privilege of voting.

Aval (Awful) Gardiner, the well known pugilist, was looked up in his cell on Blackwell's Island, on election day. He has usually been out and about, making a good fist of his two.

LECTURES.

We are in the midst of the season for lectures, and there are not a few advertised. One of the principal lecturers, and well known to the world, is the author of the Plush Papers, Vanity Fair, Newcomes, etc., (Mr. William Makepeace Thackeray.) He arrived at Boston in the steamer Africa, Oct. 25th, and is now staying at the Clarendon Hotel in this city. He has delivered four lectures on the "Georges," which have been highly interesting and instructive; so much so that he has commenced repeating them here and in Brooklyn.

SHANGHAE CLUB.

The Shanghae Guard or Club, is a new one lately sprung up. It numbers two hundred or two hundred and fifty of our young nobility, wearing long Shanghae coats, from which their name is derived. Youths from fifteen to twenty years of age, wearing pieces of pink ribbon as badges. Their principal manœuver, and one which brought them particularly before the public, was at the Fair of the American Institute, where they assembled a short time since by appointment. They obtained admission with a few of the members' family tickets, one of their number taking in a dozen or twenty, and then returning for another instalment. They then formed around the fountain in the centre of the Palace, and marched through the wings and galleries, upsetting tables, kicking up fun generally (as one of them remarked, 'they upset about two dozen tables, which was but little for their number,') jostling the visitors and being rude to the female exhibitors. At their next appointment there, the managers of the Institute had provided a sufficient number of the police to disperse their lordships, and had also posted up notices that badges would not be allowed to be worn in the Palace except by the officers of the Institute or those employed by them; nor would processions be allowed except under the direction of the board of managers.

A FUNNY LAWSUIT.

In one of the smaller courts a suit was brought to recover the price of two Photograph likenesses, of a Mr. Lawrence. It appears that Mr. L. had some difficulty with a Mr. Fish and a Mr. Van Vechten about some mining shares, and were to meet in one of their offices to adjust the matter; instead, however, high words passed, and Mr. Lawrence said he would like to mark them—would say for their photographs to have them—whereupon Messrs. Fish and Van Vechten went to Gurney's and had themselves taken in the best style, (life size, colored) and ordered them sent to Mr. L's residence, but he refused to pay for them, hence the suit. The price was $40 and $50.

RECORDER'S DECISION.

A short time since a complaint was made against Messrs. Coleman & Stetson, proprietors of the Astor House, by the Temperance Alliance for keeping liquor in a place forbidden by law, and selling it contrary to law and without a license, as prescribed in a certain section of the law. The Recorder's decision was that they must prove the liquor was not imported, and that law prohibiting the sale of it, as a nuisance, and the search, seisure and destruction of it was unconstitutional. He then dismissed the case.

NEW DRAMA.

Barnum is forever getting up something new. Jules Janin, in his criticism on the reception of M'lle Rachel in the United States, alludes to him, and says, "That the Americans like to be gulled by the great Barnum at his pleasure." A few days ago my attention was drawn towards a large placard which I saw in the street, of Barnum's—"New Drama of the Limekiln Man, written expressly for the Museum." At the top was an excellent cut of this somewhat strange character, known so well (as far as appearances are concerned,) and for so many years in this city. His name and native place were not known until after his death, which occurred suddenly a few months since. It so happened then that the coroner summoned a man on the jury who knew him well, his name, native place, and all about him, the whole account of which was published at that time in the daily papers.

ABANDONED INFANTS.

This habit of forsaking infants is getting to be almost a mania. Lately from three to four a week have been left, most frequently at street doors or in halls. One was found in an ash box, another in the water closet at the South Ferry, and very frequently they are thrown into the vaults of privies. An instance of this kind happened in Brooklyn lately; the child's cries attracting attention to the place, but it died before it could be got out.

VAUXHALL GARDEN.

This at one time was a very fashionable summer resort, and covered nearly a square of ground [on the Bowery, opposite Sixth street,] but business in its progressive march has made serious inroads into it; not a vestige is hardly left to tell where it once was. Within the last six months a row of four story brick buildings have been put up on a part that had been left, and even the small piece remaining is being dug into where more houses are to be built. The property belongs to Wm. B. Astor.

MONEY

Is anything but plenty at present. For the last month it has been growing more and more stringent, so that the demand cannot be supplied on anything like easy terms. The rates of interest have advanced considerably, outside of the banks. They [the banks] have not been able to supply all the calls made on them; on the contrary, they have been careful and reserved, had have more or less curtailed their loans. During the panic about ten days since, the stock brokers found it difficult to get what they wanted on call, and good security. The discount brokers are getting twelve per cent. on first class paper, with some few exceptions, and higher rates on good paper.

The news brought by the steamers Asia and Arago, caused a reaction in the stock market.—Prices have been advancing ever since, but they have not regained the ruling prices three weeks ago. The leading stocks in market, and those which have fluctuated most, are Reading, Erie, Michigan Central, New York Central, Illinois Central, Southern Michigan, Toledo, Galena, Panama, Transit Company, Cumberland and Illinois Central Bonds; these within the last few days have advanced from six to eight per cent.

Exportations of flour and grain have been and continue to be very large. This has the effect to lessen the exort of specie; the last steamer took out none, and the prospect is that none will go out this week. Last week flour advanced one shilling and six pence to two shillings, and grain four to six cents.

EVERETT.

LETTER FROM MOBILE, ALABAMA.

MOBILLE, Nov. 1st, 1855.

EDITOR FIREMAN'S JOURNAL:—A friend in this city was kind enough to lend me a few copies of your Journal, and seeing therein an account of the different trials and exploits of the various engines in your well managed Department. I have taken the liberty of sending you an item, which you may rely on as being true. We have in this city a fire engine built by John Agnew, of Philadelphia, a second class engine, which came out here last spring. It is in the possession of Creole Fire Company No. 1, Thomas Bidgwood, Foreman; and to-day being a Quarterly Washing, the entire Department was out in uniform, giving our quiet city quite an animated and lively appearance. The washing at the wharves being over, No. 1 proceeded to the corner of Royal and St. Francis streets, immediately opposite the Battle House, where our new custom house is in course of erection, in the centre of which is an immense derrick, used for hoisting the blocks of granite for its construction. It is built of large timbers, and is 135 feet high by 60 feet square. The company got water from a hydrant, and played through 100 feet of hose with a ten feet pipe and seven-eights of an inch nozzle—throw water in a perpendicular stream ten feet above the top of the derrick, which I, an old New York Fireman, consider pretty tall playing for a second class Philadelphia machine. No. 6, a new engine built by Jeffers of Pawtucket, next took a trial, but after bursting two lengths of hose, gave it up, as night came upon them. I suppose that at some future day they will attempt it again, of which I will advise you.

Yours Respectfully,
FRANK JAVES, OF No. 3.

From the Scientific American.

Interesting particulars in regard to the Mammoth Steamship "Great Eastern."

LONDON, Nov. 1st, 1855.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—On my visit to the mammoth steamer now building at Blackwall, on the Thames, I was fortunate enough to procure from the engineers and others the following information. Much has been said, although little is known respecting her, especially in the United States.

The vessel is not yet named, though it is rumored she is to be called the 'Great Eastern.' She is being built by J. K. Brunel, Esq., the well known engineer for the Eastern Steam Navigation Company, who have a capital of six millions of dollars; their vessels are all designed for the India and Australia trade, and will be four in number, the first being the 'Great Eastern.' She will be the largest and most powerful steamship in the world, as will be seen by the following statement of her dimensions:

Length 680 feet, breadth 83 feet, depth from deck to keel 58 feet, number of decks 4, length of saloons 400 feet, height of saloon between decks 15 feet, capacity 27,000 tons, will carry 18,000 tons of coals and cargo. She is to have both screw and paddle engines, whose nominal power will be: screw 1,600, paddles 1,000; total 2,600 horse power. Cylinder of screw engine 4 feet, diameter of cylinder 84 inches, stroke 4 feet, cylinders of paddle engines 4 feet, diameter of paddle engine cylinders 74 inches, length of stroke 14 feet 6 inches. Each engine room will will be forty feet long. The screw propeller will be 23 feet in diameter. The paddle wheels have been fixed at sixty feet in diameter. Draft of water, loaded, 8 feet, draft of water in ballast, 18 feet. She is to carry six hundred first class passengers and eighteen hundred second class.—If used as a transport, she will carry an army of 10,000 men, with all their field equipments.—Weight of iron used in construction 7,000 tons. She is to be built double, having an inner and outer shell of iron plates. The masts are five in number, ship rigged. The steering apparatus consists of two rudders, which from their power ought to bring her round. The after rudder is to be placed like an ordinary ship's rudder, the screw will work forward of this rudder; ahead of the screw is to be a second rudder, in form something like a common rudder. The engines will be larger than any hitherto made. They will be placed in different parts of the ship, entirely independent of each other. The vessel will have ten boilers and five smoke pipes. Every boiler can be cut off from its neighbor and used or not, as desired; they will be placed longitudinally along each side of the ship. Some idea of theio generative power may be formed when I say that every boiler will have ten furnaces, thus giving to the whole no less than one hundred large fires. An experimental boiler was made previous to deciding upon the one to be adopted. The coal to be used will be anthracite. The vessel will have two paddle wheels in the usual manner, but the paddle engines are to be on the disconnecting principle, that they may be used jointly or separately, so that one or both of the paddle wheels may if desired be put in independent motion. Her deck is to be flush, and a promenade deck, twice the length of the famous 'Great Britain,' will be available for her passengers. In her external appearance—drawing inference from the working model—I should think the 'Great Eastern' would be a splendid ship — She is moulded with very fine lines forward and aft, with an elliptical stern. Her speed she ld average fourteen miles an hour, while her great size ought at all times to prevent her from shipping water. One of the reasons for building her so large is to give her capacity enough for carrying coals for a continuous voyage of twenty-five thousand miles, thereby saving the expense of establishing coal depots, and the time lost by coaling in foreign ports. These items alone are estimated at forty per cent. of the outlay for the vessel.

In case of accidents she will have many unusual chances. The floor of this ship is to be perfectly flat. The outer and inner plates will be joined to each other by longitudinal webs or girders formed of plates and angle iron. There will be seventeen of these webs on each side of the ship, thus joinining the outer and inner skins by means of a number of water tight cells, of such extraordinary strength that they give a rigidity never before communicated to any vessel. Besides these small cells forming the wall as it were of the ship, she is being built in seventeen sections —the midship section being first built up to its full altitude, and the iron decks laid—the other sections fore and aft being successively built in like manner, and jointed to the preceding section. It may therefore be said that the ship will consist of a great number of water tight apartments between the outer und inner skins, and of thirty two large square compartments in the body of the vessel, not merely nominal divisions, but complete, substantial, water tight bulkheads, of sufficient strength to bear the pressure of being filled with water. In case of accidentally being broken in two, the separate portions would float, without damage to the cargo contained in the uninjured sections. The outer plates are of inch iron—the inner three-quarter inch iron securely bolten and riveted together. The first plate was laid in May last. A number of the sections are now built; the stern post is erected and the riband or outline of the afterpart of the ship is already put up. The work is rapidly progressing; at the present time over five hundred men are at work upon the ship in all departments. Should no unforseen obstacles arise, she will be launched within a year. Owing to her great size she is being built broadside to the river. It is intended to launch her by means of two immense cradles, which will gradually lower her down to low water mark, whence, on the ensuing tide she will be floated off.

SHAKESPEARE AND THE BIBLE.—Bible—The Apostle says: But though I be rude in speech. 2 Corinthians, xi, 6.

Othello—Rude am I in speech.

Bible—Show his eyes and grieve his heart. 1 Samuel xi. 33.

Macbeth—Show his eyes and grieve his heart.

Bible—Thou hast brought me into the dust of death. Psalms.

Macbeth—Lighted fools the way to dusty death

Bible—Look upon me, because I am black, because the sun has looked upon me. Saloman's Song, i. 6.

Merchant of Venice—Mistake me not for my complexion; its shadowy livery of the burning sun.

Bible—I smote him. I caught him by his beard and smote him, and slew him. 1 Samuel, xvii. 35.

Othello—I took by the throat the circumcised dog and smote him.

Bible—Opened Job his mouth and cursed his day; let it not be joined into the days of the year, let it not come into the number of months. Job, iii 16.

Macbeth—May this accursed hour stand aye accursed in the calendar.

Bible—What is man that thou art mindful of him? Thou hast made him a little lower than the angels. Thou crownedst him with glory and honor, and didst set him over the works of thy hand. Pslams, viii. 4, 5, 6.

Hamlet—What a piece of work is man! How noble in reason, how infinite in faculties! In form and moving how express and admirable! In apprehension how like a god j The beauty of the world, the paragon of animals.

Bible—Nicanoc lay dead in his harness.

Macbeth—We will die with harness on our back.

A BRAVE WOMAN.—The Bloomington, (Ill.) *Flag* notices the following incident which occurred at the recent destructive fire in that place:

A woman who occupied a room on the second floor of Dr. Rogers' building, on the southwest corner by the staire, seized an axe, and cut her way through two doors to a plank partition, knocked a hole through that, passed to a window with a child in her arms, broke the sash, dropped the child into the arms of some men below, and was from that perilous situation assisted to the ground, without recieving any bodily injury whatever, and *without being in the least frightened*. That is what we call a good specimen of a *female sucker*.

CHARITABLE FUND.—The Firemen of Charlestown, Mass., have established a Fireman's Charitable Fund Association.

Hoaxing a Fire Company.

It is seldom we hear of such a completely successful hoax as that played upon the Good Will Fire Company, last week. In the early part of the week, an individual calling himself Jas. Walton, and hailing from New York, went to the Franklin House, and took lodgings. Soon afterwards Walton repaired to the house of the Good Will Fire Company, and had an interview with some of the members. He stated that he was a delegate from the Croton Hose Company, No. 5, of New York, which Company was making arrangements for an early visit to Philadelphia.—He desired to know whether the Good Will would allow his friends the use of their house for the purpose of quartering their 'hose-cart.' The members of the Good Will, not only tendered the use of their engine house, but forthwith extended to the Croton, through Mr. Walton, an invitation to be their guests during their stay in the city. The invitation was accepted, and Walton immediately became a distinguished personage. He talked knowingly about 'the boys' in New York, and to render the impression of his sincerity more complete, exhibited a belt, and a diploma of membership in the New York Fire Department.

According to the arrangement, the Croton Hose Company was to arrive in this city on Friday evening. A band of music was engaged, and preparations were made for a grand reception at the engine house. An extensive and costly supper was set out in the hall of the engine house; flags were strung across Race street; the hall was elegantly decorated; a trasparency, bearing the words, 'Welcome Croton,' gotten up, to be hung in front of the building, and candles were placed for the illumination of the windows. Even the individual who was to do the talking portion of the reception, had his speech ready and well conned The Croton was to arrive at Walnut street wharf at 10, P. M. Previous to that time, a committee of the Good Will members, with Lieutenant Hollick at their head, repaired to the telegraph office, and sent on a despatch to know if the Croton men had started. The response was that nothing was there known of any visiting firemen. The committee went to the wharf. The boat arrived, but no Croton was apparent. The committee then repaired to the Franklin House, and made inquiry for Mr Walton They were informed that that interesting individual had left, after a vain attempt to borrow a watch and chain from a servant. He had forgotten the footing of his bill, but had left his baggage—a small bag, containing some patent medicine placards. The completeness of the hoax was now fully apparent to the eyes of the committee, and they had nothing to do but to report the same to the expectant ones at the engine house. Soon afterwards, there might have been seen at Broad and Race streets a silent taking down of flags, a stealthy removal af candles, a hiding of a transparency, and other indications that 'the sell' was appreciated, winding up, however, with a general 'blow out' of the victims, as they disposed of the good things collected for the visionary Croton boys. There was decided originality in that display of roguery, but another visit to Broad and Race streets, on the part of the very original perpetrator, might lead to a rise in leather, which would, perhaps, hurt his feelings beyond repair.

DEATH OF FIREMEN.—A fire ocurred at Alexandria Va., on the night of the 16th of Nov. in the china establishment of J T. Dowell, it being the act of an incendiary, camphene having been thrown over various portions of the building, and trains of powder laid between the crates of crockery to hasten destruction. During the progress of the conflagration the walls fell, burying in the ruins seven of the citizens of Alexandria, five of the number being firemen, all of whom were killed. Four of them were members of the "Star Company," namely: John A. Roach, David Appich, Robert Taylor and J. Carson Green; Jas. W. Keene, was a member of Friendship Company. Their funeral took place on the 18th, and was attended by the Fire Departments of Alexandria, and Washington, D. C., and an immense concourse of people. The greatest excitement existed amongst the citizens of Alexandria, meetings were held, and resolutions passed offering a reward of $5000 for the detection of the incendiaries, and also to erect a monument to the memory of the deceased firemen, for which object, $1095 was collected on the night of the 16th. of Nov., at the meeting.

FAITHFUL LOVE—The gallant Sir Thomas Trowbridge is about to lead to the altar Miss Louisa Gurney, daughter of Daniel Gurney, Esq., of Norwich, and sister of the Hon. Mrs. W. Cooper. Seldom has that proud meed of homage which beauty loves to pay to valor been conferred on a more worthy recipient. The descendant of one of England's greatest admirals, and among the bravest of the brave at Alma, the heroic valor of Sir Thomas Trowbridge, at Inkermann, has become one of the glorious facts of history. Those who record the great achievements of England's soldiers in the present war, will emblazon, in the brightest colors of military story, how, when his skill and courage in directing the fire of a battery had contributed to turn the tide of battle, and when a fatal cannon shot had carried away both his feet, the wounded hero refused to be conveyed to the rear, demanding of his fellow soldiers but to carry him to the front and raise him on a gun carriage, that, before bleeding to death, he might witness the successful issue of the conflict; and then, coolly, in that position, continuing to direct the fire of his battery, until he shared in the final triumph, and shouts of victory.

Preserved by almost a miracle to life—his services crowned by every applause that a nation's gratitude could bestow—his honors hallowed and enhanced by the tear of pity from his sovereign herself, while placing them upon his shattered frame, the noble soldier now reaps his final and greatest reward in the consummation of a long cherished attachment with the beautiful and amiable lady who is about to share his titles and honors, while she consoles and repays his sufferings.

A fire occurred at Bloomington, Ill. on the 6th of Nov., destroying $150,000 worth of property.

Brooklyn Fire Marshal's Report.

From the semi-anual report of Mr RUFUS R. BELKNAP, Fire Marshal for Brooklyn, for the six months ending Nov. 1, we gather the following facts;

The loss by fire has been much less than during the any any previous six months since 1848. The loss from May to November in 1854, was $140,366; from November, 1854, to May 1855, $126,899; and during the past six months it was only $55,220. During this last period of time there were in all, sixty-three fires which originated, so far as it was possible to ascertain as follows.

LAUSES.

Accidental 18; children playing with matches 5; curtain on draft, 4; carelessness with matches, 3; carelessness with segars and pipes, 2; slacking of lime, 1; defect in stove pipe 1; set on fire by servant, 1; set on fire by occupant, 1; supposed incenciary, 9; explosion of camphene lamps, 5; fire-works, 3; defect in chimney 2; explosion of gas in lamp blank factory, 2; carelessness from ashes, 1, spontaneous combustion from lampblack 1, fire left in furnace in careless manner 1, unknown, 2.

FIRES IN EACH MONTH

Of the 63 fires that occurred, 14 were in May, 9 in June, 11 in July, 15 in August, 5 in September, and 9 in October There were also, 16 false alarmes. The total amount of insurance on property destroyed was $91,600.

Buildings In Brooklyn.

Frame buildings, 13,820, do. with stores, 3,165, brick buildings, 5,983, do' with stores, 2,748, brick front buildings, with stores, 344; do, without stores, 187, stone front with stores, 130, do. without stores, 39?, brick of stone factories, 340, frame factories, 650, brick or stone churches, 73, frame churches, 68, brick schoolhouses 43 frame schoolhouses 32, brick warehouses 156, frame do 84, brick stables, 311, frame do. 2,115, brick or stone dpellings being erected. 168, frame do, 101. Tota 30,830.

MODEL LOCAL ITEMS.—A Boston paper gives the following model specimen of local items:

A gentleman in passing along State street, yesterday afternoon, dropped his cane, and when he went to pick it up, he did it. The cane had no ferule on it, the head was gone, and pretty soon the stick went—along with its owner.

A kitten was seen chasing its tail, on a door step of a house near the corner of Ann and Boylston streets, last night. There was no policeman in sight at thi time, and it is not ascertianed, therefore, whether she caught it or not.

The dome of the State House still remains in its present position, and there are rumors that it will do so still longer, unless it should not. A man was seen looking at it the other day.

An omnibus was passing by Deer Island hospital on its way to the outer light house, a large Newfoundland dog was observed to open his mouth. Bystanders thought the animal intended to bark, but it was ascertained he was only gaping.

A negro child while whittling on the front door steps of a barn situated nearly in the centre of Black Bay, cut one of his fingers so severely that it is thought it will not have to be amputated. Three drops of blood were excluded from the finger, and with admirable presence of mind, the child asked his mother to put a rag on it. The rag was one of unbleached cotton. Dr. Swipes did not pay any attention to the sufferer, at all, inasmuch, as he was not called.

A man recently went to the front door of a mansion in Beacon street, and rang the bell. The occupant of the house came to the door, when person addressed him as follows: 'Can you give me entertainment under your roof to night; if not, can you lend me eight cents?' The reply was 'no!' and the man went away again.

A gentleman well known in fasionable circles, was passing through the common about midnight yesterday morning, just before sunset one of the the squirrels winked. The gentleman had not gone more than a mile from the spot when he winked also. We are happy to hear that there is no prospect of his recovery.

TWO LAWS FOR THE LADIES.—1. Before you bow to a lady in the street, permit her to decide whether you may do so or not, by at least a look of recognition.

2. When your companion bows to a lady, you should do the same. When a gentleman bows to a lady in your company, always bow to him in return.

Nothing is so little understood in America, as these conventional laws of society, so well understood and practised in Europe. Ladies complain that gentleman pass them by in the streets, unnoticed, when, in fact, the fault rises from their own breach of politeness. It is their duty to do the amiable first, for it is a privilege which ladies enjoy of choosing their own associates or acquaintances. No gentleman likes to risk the being cut in the streets by a lady, through a premature salute. Too many ladies, it would seem, 'don't know their trade' of politeness. Meeting ladies in the streets, whom one has casually met in company, they seldom bow unless he bows first, and when a gentleman never departs from the rule of good breeding, except occasionally, by way of experiment, his acquaintances do not multiply, but he stands probably charged with rudeness. The rule is plain. A lady must be civil to a gentleman in whose company she is casually brought; but a gentleman is not, upon this, to presume upon acquaintanceship the first time he afterwards meets her in the street. If it be her will she gives some token of recognition, when the gentleman may bow; otherwise, he must pass on, and consider himself a stranger. No lady need hesitate to bow to a gentleman, for he will promptly and politely answer, even if he has forgotten his fair saluter. None but a brute can do otherwise—should he pass on rudely, his character is declared, and there is a cheap riddance. Politeness and good breeding is like law 'the reason of things.'

To be a woman of fashion, is one of the easiest things in the world. Buy everything you don't want, and pay for nothing you get; smile on all mankind but your husband; be happy everywhere but at home; hate the country; adore the city; read novels; neglect your children; nurse lap-dogs, and go to church every time you get a new shawl.

WHAT IS LIFE?—The Russians have lost one hundred thousand men since the beginning of the Crimean campaign, and the Allies about as many more.

The Fireman's Journal

AND MILITARY GAZETTE.

MARCUS D. BORUCK, ... Editor.

SAN FRANCISCO

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 22, 1855.

Agents for the Fireman's Journal.

J. W. Sullivan .....San Francisco.
L. E. Burkmar. .....Sacramento.
Jeromus Rapelje. .....Marysville.
J. Rosenbaum. .....Stockton.
G. A. Buxton. .....San Jose.

NOTICE.

On and after this date, the list of FREE PAPERS connected with the *Journal* will be entirely discontinued with the exception of the Press. The Proprietors find this course necessary from motives of economy and in justice to their Subscribers.

All papers furnished by the Carriers will be charged for at the usual rate, Fifty cents per month. Persons calling at the office, will be charged *invariably* 12½ cents per copy. November 10.

The Annual Parade.

At the next regular meeting of the Board of Delegates, it will be incumbent upon that body to take the initiative steps for the proper celebration of the Fifth Anniversary of the Department. In connection with the subject, our opinion is, that some other day than the twenty-second of February should be selected, if it is necessary to have a parade at all. Dear bought experience has testified to the Department that a change should be made. The Department have had four parades, and on those days, with one exception, the weather was extremely unfitted for a turn out. The parade of February 22d 1854 entailed upon the Department the loss of four excellent members, who died from illness contracted on that day, and one member of the Department died from the effects of the inclemency of the weather on last year's parade. Taking this into consideration therfor, we do not think it is at all necessary for the members of the Department to wade through mud, with the rain falling in torrents, to convince the community that they are not afraid of water, at the same time contracting diseases which lead them to a premature grave. As far as the parade is concerned, we are opposed to having one every year. A parade once in two or three years is amply sufficient to make an exhibit to the people that the money expended upon the Department has not been lavished in vain. As to having a parade on the coming anniversary, we think it impolitic to have one under any consideration, and motives of economy, if no other inducement should have the effect of bringing the Representatives of the Department to that conclusion. To have a parade at the present time as the Department is now organized, it would not cost the members (for they bear the expenses of the whole affair) less than *ten thousand dollars*, and they are already under too heavy an expense in furnishing their houses to bear such an extra outlay. The whole subject is one for companies to discuss, and one in regard to which they could instruct their delegates without any impropriety. If a majority of the companies should decide to celebrate the coming Anniversary in the usual way, we suggest that the day of parade be on the 4th May, instead of the 22d February.

We have all along advocated the abolishment of the Corporation Yard, and the appropriation of a certain amount to each company to make the necessary repairs to the apparatus and keeping the hose in good condition. From enquiries made in regard to the matter, and from facts which have come to our knowledge, we believe that the immediate establishment of a Corporation Yard will tend to reduce the expenses of the City and increase the interests of the Department. For the appropriation, which the Fire Water Committee designed introducing an ordinance to be paid each company, we are convinced that it would be insufficient to meet all the demands which an active service would compel them to contract. We know very well what the feeling of the Fire and Water Committee is regarding the Corporation Yard, but when the members of that Committee come to enquire into the matter, they will find that its internal arrangements can be conducted with sound judgement. The desire of the officers and members of the Department is to reduce the expenses of the City, in their connection as much as possible, and there is no better way to attain that great desideratum than the Corporation Yard.

We regret to witness a desire on the part of several members of the Fire and Water Committee to hamper the Chief Engineer in the prosecution of his duties. If the Common Council have not that confidence in the chief executive officer of an organization like the Department to allow him to use discretionary power when emergency should require it, his position becomes of no more importance than any other individual member of the Department. The Comn on Council, we are confident, need not entertain any fear that Mr. Nuttman will overstep the bounds of propriety while looking out for the well being of the Department. Limited as the powers are which have been awarded to him, it should not be deemed an offence, if circumstances should at times occur which demanded he should go beyond them. We do hope that the Fire and Water Committee will give him as much margin to work in as possible, for they may rest assured the confidence placed in him, will not be abused.

California Engine Co. No. 4.

We yesterday inspected the engine of California Engine Company, which has been out of service for some time, she having been in the hands of the machinists and painters, receiving a dress, chaste and elegant. The groundwork of her box has been painted a deep vermillion color, the edges and band striped with gold, surmounted with silvered stars. On the right of the box is a painting of Neptune, trident in hand, riding in his car, with Amphitrite seated at his left. The car is drawn by three fiery looking sea horses; Cupid leads the way over the blue waters, with a flaming torch in his hand. In the front ground of the painting a mermaid is seen swimming up to the car, offering to Amphitrite a string of beautiful pearls. In the distance and around the car, tritons are seen attending on their King and Queen—one at either end of the car blowing upon conch shells. The painting is surrounded with heavy scroll work of gold, and on the front end of the box is a fireman, bearing in his arms a child, the flames almost touching it. At the rear end is a fireman axe in hand, uplifted and ready to strike. The colors of this painting are gorgeous in the extreme, the background being of a cerulean hue. On the left of the box is another splendid painting, representing Neptune and California. They are sitting on either side of the outlet in the box, underneath which is a rich shell, into which water is pouring from the outlet, the shell resting upon the heads of two dolphins. Over the shell is a wreath of California flowers, supported in the beak of an eagle.—At the feet of California a grizzly is lying, with one paw upon a pan in which is represented with life like appearance particles of gold; a pick and shovel is also visible, together with emblems of agriculture, commerce and the arts. Around this painting there is also heavy scroll work of gold, entwined through which are several lengths of hose, the pipe being held by a fireman, standing at the rear end; a fireman stands forth in bold relief at the opposite side. This painting is also exquisitly executed in a richness of style unsurpassed. In the front of the box is painted the seal of the City, a phœnix rising from its ashes. On the tail box is the seal of the State; the background representing sunrise, with a miner at work; in the distance the mountains of California loom up. In the front ground is seated Minerva; around her the various emblems of arts and sciences, the grizzly at her side, and the pan, pick and shovel at her feet. The picture is finely drawn and finished. The iron work of the engine has been polished as bright as silver; the brakes have also been polished. Surmounting the engine is to be a massive belfry, in which the bell is to be placed. It is of a beautiful design, and is to be made of brass. There are to be four branches to it, from each of which a bucket is to hang, upon the front of each is a painting representing the elements: a boiling cauldron being emblematic of fire; dolphins swimming representing water; birds of paradise and a balloon signifying air, and fruit and flowers giving token of earth's products. All the paintings are finished splendidly, in colors bright and gay. On each side of the stanchions supporting the belfry is to be placed a silver fgure 4, surrounded with wreaths of flowers.

The wheels of the engine are painted a bright vermillion striped with gold. The sides of the tail box are covered with a heavy scroll work in gold. The hose carriage has been painted the same color, and the iron work polished, the wrench box with handsome scroll work, and California painted upon the cover, wreathed with flowers Take it altogether, the workmanship is superb. The painting was done by Ross and Morris on Kearney street near Sutter, the polishing by Spratt & Co., directly opposite, and the execution of the paintings we have described was confided to Nahl, who has already made himself famous by the faithfulness and artistic manner with which he performs the duties of his profession. The apparatus of No. 4 is not yet ready for service, some portions of the work requiring much time to complete. When entirely completed the expense attending the labor upon her will amount to about fourteen hundred and fifty dollars, a large proportion of which is borne by the Company.

THE FIRST LIGHT DRAGOONS.—An election for officers of this company was held on Thursday in compliance with an order issued from Judge Freelon's Court; although the Company elected their officers on the 7th of June last, that being their anniversary. It appears to be the impression that the Dragoons are a new company, whereas they were organized in 1852, and have been in active service ever since. They voted however on Thursday (under protest) so as to avail themselves of the benefit of exemption from jury duty. The following is a list of the names of the gentlemen elected.

For Captain—I. Rowell.
For First Lieutenant—J. Sewall Reed.
For Second Lieutenant—A. McKendry
For Third Lieutenant—L. R. Mills.
First Sergeant—C. L. Taylor.
Second Sergeant—Joseph Figel.
Third Sergeant—Sam'l S. Reed.
Fourth Sergeant—No Choice.
First Corporal—W. H. Tyson.
Second Corporal—Charles M. Plum.
Third Corporal—Benj H. Freeman,
Foruth Corporal—John M. Smith.
Treasurer—W. H Fish.
Surgeon—Dr. B. A. Sheldon.

After the result was announced, the *corps* and their invited guests were ushered into the spacious drill room of the Company, where a really sumptuous banquet had been prepared, to dispose of which, all appeared to be favorable; Capt. Rowell presided. The usual toasts and sentiments were given and responded to; eloquent speeches were made by Captain Rowell, Captain Johns, of the California Guards, Captain Ryan, of the Sarsfield Guards, Lieutenant Watson, of the City Guards, Lieutenants Reed and McKendry of the Dragoons and others. The entertainment was one productive of much pleasure to those who had the good fortune to be present.

Tiger Engine Company.

The ordinance admitting this Company into the Department, was called up on Monday evening last in the Board of Aldermen by Ald. Green, and passed unanimously, Aldermen Corser, Hopkins, Hathaway, Tewksbury, Green and President Slocomb voting. The ordinance was passed some time since in the Board of Assistants. We are grstified that this Company is admitted by the Common Council, for the reason that we recognize no higher authority in the Department than the Board of Delegates, and when that body passed favorably upon its application for admission, however slight the majority might have been, it shold have been conclusive. The Company is to be located on Second Street, between Mission and Minnie streets.

The Housing of Lafayette's Truck.

Among the many interesting episodes in the life of a true fireman, none partake of so much importance as the housing of his cherished and favorite apparatus. It savors more of the act of a careful husband providing for the wants of a much loved wife, than anything else we can compare it to. Every convenience that human foresight can call into requisition, is enforced to render the appearance in public, of 'engine or truck' what it should be to deserve the encomiums of the most fastidious of those in and out of the organization. It is this feeling of honest pride in the condition of the apparatus a fireman may be attached to, which is the foundation of an emulation practical and honorable. The love of a fireman for 'engine or truck,' is like the love a true patriot bears for his country, 'no other can go in advance of him a single step.'

On Tuesday afternoon last the members of Lafayette H. & L. 2 housed their truck in the new house, just completed for them in Broadway, and took possession of quarters of a more comfortable nature than they have been occupying far some time past. In compliance with an invitation of the company, a large number of their bretheren of the Department assembled at the new house at 8½ oclock P. M. Shortly afterwards the order was given and t e Lafayettes proceeded to the old house, manned the side ropes, and conveyed the apparatus to its future abode. Mr. H. A Cobb, the Foreman of No. 2, then in a neat and [for the hints contained in it] most commendable speech, welcomed those present to the hospitalities of the Lafayettes. [Did every foreman of the Department speak out as plainly as Mr Cobb had the good sense to do, General Bummer and his command would not be so numerous as it is upon every festive occasion that transpires.]

In the sitting room a collation was spread, every delicacy procurable being in abundance, with superior wines in an unlimited quantity. After due attention had been paid to the viands, several speeches were made, and toasts given. Consul Dillon was present, and addressed the assemblage, thanking the Department for the universal kindness the members of it had always shown to the Lafayettes, concluding by toasting the ex-Chief Engineer Duane, who had brought the Company into the Department. Mr. Duane responded in some felicitous remarks, and was followed by Chief Engineer Nuttman, who thanked those present who had given him their support on the day of election, and pledging himself to treat with the same favor those who had seen fit to express their preference for another. Speeches were also made by Messrs. C. D. Carter, of 5, Stillman. of 6, Walsh of 8, Short of 9, Assistant Engineer Capprice, Biden of 10, Whalen of 18, and others. The festivities which were kept up until a late hour, closed with the singing of the Marsellaise. The Lafayettes, since their first induction into the Department, have been one of the most energetic, reliable and orderly companies forming it. Willing upon all occasions to give their assistance when most needed.—They are respected by the entire Department, and their claims upon it for protection will always be recognized.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LONDON AND SAN FRANCISCO.—In London, dishonest Banker who defraud the people of their money, are tried, found guilty and transported to labor among convicts for the offense. In San Francisco, they are patted on the back, made so much of, that they think themselves honest, and set themselves up as censors of the Press, and endeavor to 'reform' the morals of the community in which they deign to live, In London, they go to labor with convicts. In San Francisco, they seek to convict labor, to hide their own infamy. How many men have we in San Francisco, who ought to accompany Paul, Strahan and Bates to the galleys?

THE "INAUGURATION."—The Military of San Francisco will be fully represented at Sacramento on the occasion of the Inauguration of Governor Johnson, which takes place on the first Monday in January. The City Guards and Marion Rifles will go up with full ranks, while detachments from the California Guards, San Francisco Blues National Guards, Wallace Guards and Sarsfield Guards will accompany them. The City Guards will be the guests of the Sacramento Guards, and the Marions will be entertained by the Sutter Rifles. The other military visitors from this city will be taken in charge of by the same Companies. We are informed that the Steam Navigation Company will place a steamer at the disposal of the Military who will leave for Sacramento on the Sunday afternoon preceding the Inauguration.

NEW HOSE.—The purchase of ten thousand feet of hose is imperatively required for the uses of the Department. There are now upwards of four thousand eight hundred feet of hose in a useless condition, and will be so until repaired. In case of a large fire beyond Sansome street, and the cisterns should give out, there are not good hose enough at command to form three lines to the Bay. To send on to New York, and contract for the requisite amount of hose, would require six months time to land them here, and during that period the windy season would be upon us in all its fury, and the Department would be powerless. We understand that there is now in the city the amount of hose we speak of, which the authorities of other cities are endeavoring to obtain.—The Chief Engineer would do well to look into the subject, and see what arrangements can be made to purchase it.

THE "SUNDAY TIMES."—This paper will make its first appearance to-morrow. It is to be about the size of this Journal, with an appropriate heading. It is destined to make an excitement, as we understand it will speak out plainly, on matters and things in general.

ORDINATION.—For the first time on the Pacific shores, the solemn rite of ordination in the Episcopal church will be conferred by Bishop Kip, upon a Mr. McDonald, to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, in Trinity church, Pine street. The attendant services are of a most impressive and interesting nature.

CORRECTION.—In our report last week of the proceedings of the Board of Delegates, we stated that when Mr. Whalen withdrew from the contest for the Secretaryship of the Department, he did so in favor of Mr. Buckley. We were in error, however, Mr. Whalen simply withdrew without stating his preferences for either of the candidates running.

THE 'UNCLE SAM."—Captain Baldwin having left the Uncle Sam at San Juan, he leaving for the Atlantic States, our old friend, Captain Horner commanded her on her upward trip, making the passage in about eleven days.

The "Free Love Advocate" is the name of a new paper, lately established in New York. It strips bare every subject dilated upon, presenting the naked facts to its readers.

Mr. Stanley and the Charitable Fund.

The *Sun* of Monday in relieving itself of one mis-statement, respecting Mr Stanley and the Charitable Fund, stumbled into another when it announced he was a member of Knickerbocker 5, instead of Monumental 6, We consider that Mr. Stanley has received from the Charitable Fund, as much, if not more than he was really entitled to. Place a dozen men on the pension list of the Fund, and allow them the same privileges which have been accorded to him for twenty-one months, and the principle would melt a little too rapid for future demands upon it. From donations, the Fund has not received one thousand dollars in a year, the accumulation in that time being almost entirely interest received for loans. We understand that Mr. Stanley applied to the Treasurer of the Fund, for the usual amount for the month ending Dec. 12, but he being notified that Mr. Stanley was no longer a member of the Department, he having resigned early in Nov. last, refused to accede to his request. Mr. Stanley it is true was injured over two years since while proceeding to an alarm of fire, but we have yet to know that the intent of the establishing of the Fund, was to support for life those temporarly disabled. Mr. Stanley was injured through the gross carelessness of the Street Commissioneer, and to the City he should look for remuneration. The Charitable Fund has contributed to a far greater extent to his support than it ought ever to have been called upon to give, and it would be an act of gross imposture to the Department to compel it to advance any further amount. The members of the Board of Delegates should give the matter due consideration, when it comes up for dicussion, and dispose of it in a manner becoming to them and the Department, by referring it to the proper tribunal, the Common Council, who ought to make Mr. Stanley the required appropriation.

THE 'GOLDEN GATE.'—This staunch and swift steamer of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Line, since she has been laying up at Benicia, has undergone extensive alterations and repairs. In her engine department, alone, over fifty five thousand dollars have been expended in improvements. Fifty eight boiler makers have been at work on her for more than two months. An entire new set of tubes have been placed in her boilers, and other improvements made, which render her machinery better than it has been since she first came out. The Gate has been painted throughout, her decks newly canvassed, and cabins newly furnished. In the improvements and care bestowed upon their steamers, the Mail Company are not excelled. Upwards of sixty thousand dollars have been expended on the 'Golden Gate.' This, however, is but a single instance of the liberality of the agents of that Company, in this city, every one of their steamers receive the same care and attention while in port, and it is not to be wondered at, that the the popularity of this line increases so rapidly. The Golden Gate is announced to leave on the 5th of January. The agents of the Mail line. Messrs. A. B. Forbes and W. F. Babcock, have been persevering in their efforts to enhance the prosperity of the Company, and have been entirely successful.

WRONG.—We have no objection to the opening of Theatres on a Sunday night, believing that it is beneficial, instead of detrimental to the community. We must protest, however, against the managers of those Theatres allowing a full band to play all sorts of music in front of their houses on that evening, as was the case at the 'Union,' on last Sunday. In the neighborhood of the Union Theatre, there are many families residing, who do not care to have their Sunday evenings disturbed in such a manner. Divine service is also held near by, and to be listening to the voice of a preacher, instilling into the minds of his hearers the comparitively easy way to happiness, at the same time have the music of a band inform you 'that it is a hard road to travel over Jordan,' does not agree with our notions of right. So long as the opening of Theatres on a Sunday night does not infringe upon the privileges of the community, there is no complaint to be made, when it does interfere, they should be closed.—We consider the band spoken of, a nuisance, on a Sunday night, and the sooner it is got rid of, the better.

THE "POSTMASTER."—A very unequal war appears to be waging between Postmaster Weller and Mr. Goodwin, the proprietor of the Penny Post Company. Money and political influence on one side, and private enterprise on the other, the latter, as is usually the case, getting the worst of it. By the way, speaking of the Post Office, considering the heavy expense all classes of the community have been compelled to pay for box rent, we should like to know just for information, to whom the rent goes for the lease of Ullman's and Leland's book stands, in that part of the California Exchange occupied by the Post Office—Does it go to the Postmaster, the Government, or to the owners of the building? It is not at all surprising to us that Mr. Goodwin has to encounter so many difficulties, when a majority of the press, which eventually would recieve the greatest benefit from his enterprise, take ground against him.

NEW CISTERN.—A brick and cement cistern capable of containing sixteen thousand gallons of water, has just been built under the side walk in front of Ryan's stable, on Stockton street, opposite Captain Macondray's resideuce The trap is situated on the side towards Washington st, about two feet from the curb. In case of fire this cistern will be of great use to the Department, and we are assured that Mr. Ryan will not refuse the use of the water to the firemen, to save his neighbors' property, as we regret to say, has been the case, on more than one occasion lately, in other portions of the city.

MASONIC BALL.—A magnificent Ball is to be given on Thursday evening next, the 27th inst., at Musical Hall, by the members of 'Mount Morish Lodge,' it being the occasion of the installation of their officers, Masonic Balls are celebrated for the elegance and profusseness with which they are gotten up, and the select character of the company participating in them. The Ball announced, will, without doubt, be in reality *recherche*.

NEW CERTIFICATES.—Five hundred impressions of the new certificate arrived by the steamer 'Sonora,' and will be issued in a few days. There are five hundred and sixty nine members of the Department entitled to receive them at the present time, as they have been active members of the Department the required time prior to which the certificate will be dated, namely, twelve months.

THANKS.—To Jerry Sullivan for liberally supplying our editorial table with a perfect cargo of readable matter, recieved by the last steamer.

THEATRICAL AND MUSICAL.

If the past week is any criterion to judge by, we should say that the bottom of Theatrical amusements had fallen out, and the contents with it. The Metropolitan opened on Monday night for the benefit of Herr Mengis, and that gentleman should be well satisfied with the audience that greeted his appearance. The dress circle and private boxes presented a very animated aspect, from the number of ladies present, and the parquette was well filled by the sterner sex. The perfomances were composed of farce, dancing, singing etc., and gave general satisfaction.—Since Monday evening the *puritans* of the Metropolitan have presented a look as dark as Erebus, no life, and but very little *spirit* perceptible.

It is perfectly useless for the managers of Theatres to keep open at the present time, for houses sufficiently large to pay the incidental expenses, cannot be drawn together. The people here require a constant change of novelty, otherwise, they will not attend the Theatres. There have been performers here, whom a large majority of Theatre goers would take an interest in witnessing their impersonations even three or four times a week, but the class we have had lately appearing on the stage, one visit, in many cases has been amply sufficient. There are performers now in the Atlantic States, who, could they be induced to visit San Francisco, would render an engagement mutually profitable to themselves and the managers. The Pyne and Harrison Operatic Troupe, for instance, would prove an immense attraction at either of the Theatres. We should like to hear some good old English singing, such as this troupe is capable of giving, we are not so fasionably disposed as to believe there is nothing so divinely inspiring as Italian Opera. We wish to listen to something we can understand, so that we will not disturb our neighbors by bravaing a prayer, encoring a curse, and applauding the big drum. Come, Messrs. Baker and Trench, give us something new and attractive.

Since the above was in type, M'lle Duret has been engaged at the Metropolitan, and makes her first appearance this evening, in 'Green Bushes' 'or an Hundred years Ago,' a piece written for Madame Celeste. As M'lle Duret has come among us without being heralded for weeks in advance by puffatory notices, and placards with letters large enough to frighten the weak and timid, we are inclined to the belief that she possesses talents of a high order, which she intends to rely upon for success. We hope she will be greeted by a full house to night.

Burrage's Concert, which was postponed from Tuesday until Friday evening, did not come off, in consequence of the Germania Society refusing to perform, although the leader has attended the several rehearsals.

AMERICAN THEATRE.—Mr. James Stark has taken this house, and will open it on Tuesday evening next. Mr Buchanan will appear there

SAN FRANCISCO HALL.—The 'Minstrels' have been honored with full and highly fashionable houses during the week, their entertainments being of a varied character, and well worthy of support. There is a perceptible difference between the members of the present troupe at the Hall, and others we have seen there, and it is that they are thorough actors in their line, as well as vocalists. Without being invidious, we consider Eph. Horn perfect in his role, for the reason, he combines finished acting with a perfect negro delineation. His 'Tobacco Jake,' simple as it is in itself. is made to assume a character fit to be represented on any stage. Eph, however, is inimitable. Henry's ballad singing. Burch's fun and comicalities, Zorer's 'Skylark,' [Miss Pyne's celebrity] and in fact, the entire Company, in their different positions, are excellent. The dress circle contains an increased number of ladies every night, and a pleasanter manner of spending an evening cannot be obtained, than by listening to the gems of the Minstrels.

REPAIRS OF THE HOSE.—The Fire and Water Committee on Monday, contracted with William Free for $300 per month, to peform the work now waiting to be done in the Corporation Yard. On Tuesday Mr. Free commenced to repair the three thousand feet of hose which has been laying there so long, it has become hard as stone. The actual expenses of the Yard for the month, will be found to amount to about eight hundred dollars.

BALL.—The Sacramento Guards are making preparations to give a Ball in that City on the 22d Feburary next. The uniform caps for the Company are expected on the Steamer to arrive.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Secretary's Office,
San Francisco Fire Department.

The members of the Fire Department and all others having business to transact connected with the above office, are informed that on and after Monday next, Dec 24th, it will be open from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. each day.

MARCUS D. BORUCK,
San Francisco, Dec. 22, '55. Secretary S. F. F. D.

Chief Engineer's Office,
San Francisco Fire Department.

The members of the Fire Department and all others having business to transact connected with the above office, are informed that on and after Monday next, Dec 24th, it will be open from 10 o'clock A. M. until 3 P. M. on each day.

J. WHALEN,
San Francisco, Dec. 22, '55. Clerk Chief Engineer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

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Would respectfully call the attention of the public to their establishment during the coming Holidays. They are now prepared to furnish a most elegant variety of

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And every other article in their line for the New Year's table. Ladies Give us a Call.

BOND & CO.,
866 Stockton street, between Broadway & Pacific

FOR SALE.

BOND & CO. having made arrangements for the extension of their Baking Establishment into an

Ice Cream and Refreshment Saloon,

For the accommodation of the up-town public, from the 1st of January, 1856, which will require their sole attention, offer for sale the entire outside business of their establishment, together with one Horse and Wagon. To any person with a small capital this offers a fine inducement. The business comprises an extensive route of good paying customers, and will be sold at a fair price. Apply at

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At our Store, a Beautiful Assortment of Goods Suitable for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

Two things we Guarantee—Our Goods are are the very Newest Styles, and no house in California

CAN OR WILL SELL CHEAPER.

Roman Cameo Sets; Bracelets of all kinds;
Florentine Mosaic Sets; Pins and Earrings;
Pearl and Coral Sets; Chatelaines;
Plain or Chased Sets; Neck Chains;
Crosses and Chains; Charms;
Belt Buckles; Pearl Crosses.

DIAMONDS—SET IN

Cluster Rings; Bracelets;
Brooches; Cluster Earrings;
Solitaire Rings; Solitaire Earrings;
Crosses; Buckles.

QUARTS—SET IN

Cane Heads; Crosses, very chaste;
Seals and Keys; Ribbon Slides;
Pins and Earrings; Cuff Pins;
Finger Rings; Sleeve Buttons;
Studs; Bijouterie.

SILVER WARE—SUCH AS

Cups and Coblets; Gravy Spoons;
Sets of Knives, Forks and Spoons; Sugar Spoons;
Ladies' Spoons; Salt Spoons;
Spoons and Forks; Napkin Rings;
Fish Knives and Forks; Card Baskets;
Cake Knives; Cake Baskets;
Castors; Tea Sets complete;
Butter Knives; Cream Pots;
Breakfast Knives; Tureens,
Fruit Knives; Pitchers;
Thimbles; Match Boxes;
Salvers; Cigar Cases;
Children's Rattles; Bar Spoons;
Toilet Cases; Card Cases;
Butter Dishes; Port Monnaies;
Bar Mixers and Strainers; Fruit Stands.

WATCHES—OF

ENGLISH MANUFACTURE: FRENCH MANUFACTURE:
Magic Cased; Magic Cased;
Heavy Cased Levers; Enamelled;
Chronometers; Diamond Set;
Duplexes; Small Lapines.

ALSO—A great many articles not enumerated.

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135 Montgomery st.
de22 (Second door North of Commercial st.)

REMOVAL.

WILLIAM G. BADGER
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To 109 BATTERY, corner Merchant Street,

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He would invite the city and country trade to call and examine.

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1000 Pairs Assorted Doeskin and Satinet Pants;
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150 doz super fancy cassimere Overshirts;
200 doz super red flannel Overshirts;
2 0 doz super blue flannel Overshirts;
450 doz blue merino Undershirts and Drawers;
600 doz blue Denim Overalls;
1200 assorted Pea Coats and Monkey Jackets;
800 assorted Overcoats;
2,00 assorted Cassimere, Satin and Velvet Vests;
200 doz assorted White Shirts;
40 cases Kip, lace top, D S 12 inch Boots;
20 cases thick Fremont, D S 19 inch Boots;
1000 Goodyear's Rubber Coats;
10 cases Men's Brogans;
40 bales 'Suffolk' and 'Stark' Drills;
25 bales blue, red and white Blankets;
500 doz Check, Jenny Lind and Calico Shirts;
75 cases Goodyear's Rubber Boots;
Wool, Merino and Cotton Socks
Black Silk and Satin Cravats, Stocks;
Silk Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Rubber Belts;
Every variety of Rubber Goods;
Red and Gray Flannel Drawers and Undershirts;
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N. B.—No Goods sold at Retail. de22-tf

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Wholesale Dealers in
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Have removed, since October 1st, to the northwest corner of Front and Jackson s reets.

1000 kegs E B Syrup, 5's;
800 sacks California Beans, fresh;
500 gross L W Matches;
100 kegs Bi Carb Soda;
150 boxes Pure Sperm Candles;
50 cases Twin Brothers Tobacco;
50 cases Gold Digger Tobacco;
25 cases Square and Compass Tobacco;
100 cases Smoking Tobacco;
50 cases P & M Yeast Powders, genuine;
150 boxes Adamantine Candles;
500 cases Olive Oil;
50 cases Chocolate;
100 cases Pepper, in glass;
75 cases Mustard in glass;
75 cases Cassia, in glass;
50 cases Saleratus, in glass;
400 mats No. 1 China sugar;
300 mats Batavia Sugar;
150 bbls Crushed Sugar;
100 mats Green Java Coffee;
50 mats Old Government Java Coffee;
25 bags Old Rio Coffee;
25 bags Grain Pepper;
75 reams Wrapping Paper;
300 firkins Selected Butter;
100 casks Choice Bacon;
200 casks Choice Hams;
75 cases Lard 10lb tins;
100 hf and qr bbls salmon;
150 doz 3-hoop Pails;
200 kegs Pickles, 3 and 5 galls;
500 boxes Brown Soap;
300 boxes C O Soap;
100 boxes Castile Soap;
250 boxes Pearl Starch;
100 cases hf gall Gherkins;
100 cases Fresh Peaches;
150 cases assorted Syrups; de22

State of California, County and City of San Francisco:—Henry Hudson, Plaintiff, vs. Phinehas Hudson, et al., defendants. Action brought in the Superior Court of the city of San Francisco, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said Superior Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting: To Phinehas Hudson, Mary V. Hallock, Luther G. Tuthill, Samuel J. Hopkins, and Chester L. Harrington. You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the superior court of the city of San Francisco, and to answer the complaint filed therein, (a copy of which accompanies this summons,) within ten days (exclusive of the day of service,) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or if served out of this county, then within forty days—or judgment by default will be taken against you.

The said action is brought to recover the sum of $3,135 due from defendants to plaintiff for labor and services by plaintiff rendered for the defendants, as set out in the complaint—also for interest and costs of suit; and if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgement against you for $3,135, interest and costs.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court, this 19th day December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty five.

JARED D. McMINN, Clerk.
By J. S. Thompson, Deputy Clerk.
J. C. Alexander, Pl'ff's Atty.
170 Clay street. de22-6m

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2500 Feet Extra Quality three inch Leather Hose, manufactured to order.

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ON THE PACIFIC COAST!

$300,000

INVESTED IN CHOICE ARTICLES!

TUCKER respectfully informs the trade and the public generally that he has received by late arrivals one of the largest and most varied assortments of JEWELRY and Fancy Goods ever imported into this State.

Among his late arrivals may be found

THIRTY LARGE SINGLE DIAMONDS,

Perfect curiosities in themselves, being much the largest in this city

—ALSO,—

FINE DIAMOND NECKLACES!

Worth from $400 to $2400 each!

—ALSO—

☞ An Unusual Large Assortment of

WATCHES,

AT ALL PRICES,

FROM $50 TO $3000 EACH

I have on hand for sale at retail or to the trade, those fine large Watches, called

RAILWAY TIME-KEEPERS.

—ALSO—

Diamond Watches,		Patent Lever Watches,	
Ladies'	do	Enamelled	do
Hunting	do	Chronometer	do

etc., etc., etc.

QUARTZ JEWELRY!

In this department of Jewelry Manufacture, I am without a competitor. In the artistic elegance in which I get up my work, I have been enabled to supersede all others particularly those who pretend to get up similar work in this city. If any person wants a beautiful

Cane Head,
Ring Setting,
Breastpins, etc., etc., etc.

LET THEM CALL ON ME,

And I will sell them any of the above articles, or another that can be manufactured from

Quartz, Cheaper—

[But mind I guarantee them to be GENUINE]

Than they can Possibly be Purchased ELSEWHERE.

☞ *SILVER WARE.* ☜

100 Dozen Table Spoons,
95 Dozen Tea Spoons,
125 Dozen Table Forks,

SILVER TEA SETS,

WITH OR WITHOUT SALVERS,

Silver Pitchers and Cups,
Silver Trumpets,
Card Cases,
Cake Baskets,
Castors, etc., etc.

☞ All of the above articles are warranted of the first quality, and manufactured by persons who thoroughly understand their business.

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Among the following articles will be found some of the best ever made; and I am determined to sell them, however small the profit. And as I buy from first hands, and in Large Invoices, of course I can always undersell those who buy small invoices, after they have passed through three or four hands! **I Warrant every article that leaves my Store.**

Diamond Bracelets,
Diamond Rings and Pins,
Diamond Ear Rings,

Gold Goblets, Gold Spoons, Gold Chains,
Gold Forks, Gold Fob Chains,
Gold Napkin Rings, Silver Napkin Rings,
Jewel Caskets, Opera Glasses,
Swords, Ame's Make, Walking Canes,
Port Monnaies, Penholders,
Pocket Knives, Silver mounted Dirk Knives,
Shell back Combs, Coffee Urns,
Swinging Kettles, etc., etc., etc.

All the above articles can be found at

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Diamond Crosses; Diamond Ear-Rings;
Diamond Finger-Rings;
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WATCHES OF ALL KINDS.

Gold Cups; Gold Spoons;

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CLAY STREET, OPPOSITE THE PLAZA

Search the city, North, South, East or West,
WINN'S 'FOUNTAIN HEAD' Saloon's by far the best;
You not only find a sumptuous 'bill of fare,'
But your eyes also will be feasted there—
Rich Turkey carpets, soft as downy swan,
Glowing like sunset clouds, your feet rests on;
While costly draperies in gay festoons,
Give an air of elegance to Winn's Saloon
You look in vain for if you go elsewhere—
Besides, you take your ease in rosewood chair,
With crimson velvet cushions, or on sofas rare;
Italian marble tables, polished fine,
Invite the hungry to sit down and dine
Or sup—or in the morning break their fast;
But whether it is morn or night a rich repast
Awaits the visitors, subject to their call; [them all
And whether five or five hundred, "Winn" can serve
Fine venison steaks, done up in Winn's best tyle,
That would from epicurian force a smile;
Oysters serv'd up in all ways you can name;
All kinds of fowls, the wild as well as tame,
Ducks, geese and partridges, fine fat snipe and teal;
Choice mutton chops, beef steak and tender veal
Fish of all kinds served up to suit the guest,
For each one knows which way fish suits him best;
Soups of all grades, from turtle down to pea,
But all as good as any soup can be;
Eggs, Ham and Cutlets—but it would be no boast
To say no Restaurant on the Pacific coast
Can with "Winn's Fountain Head" at all compare,
If you doubt it, call in and try his bill of fare.
Winn's Pastry can't be matched, and his Creams
Are so superior that it almost seems
Impossible such could be made by human hands,
But came direct from fabled fairy lands.
For the Christmas Holidays for girls and boys,
Winn will have ready a thousand sugar toys,
Of every kind intended to delight
The prattlers hearts and gild their joyous sight.
Let every man and woman who this way read,
Be sure to visit Winn at the "Fountain Head,"
Whose cook stands always ready to prepare
The choicest dishes e'er named on Bill of Fare.

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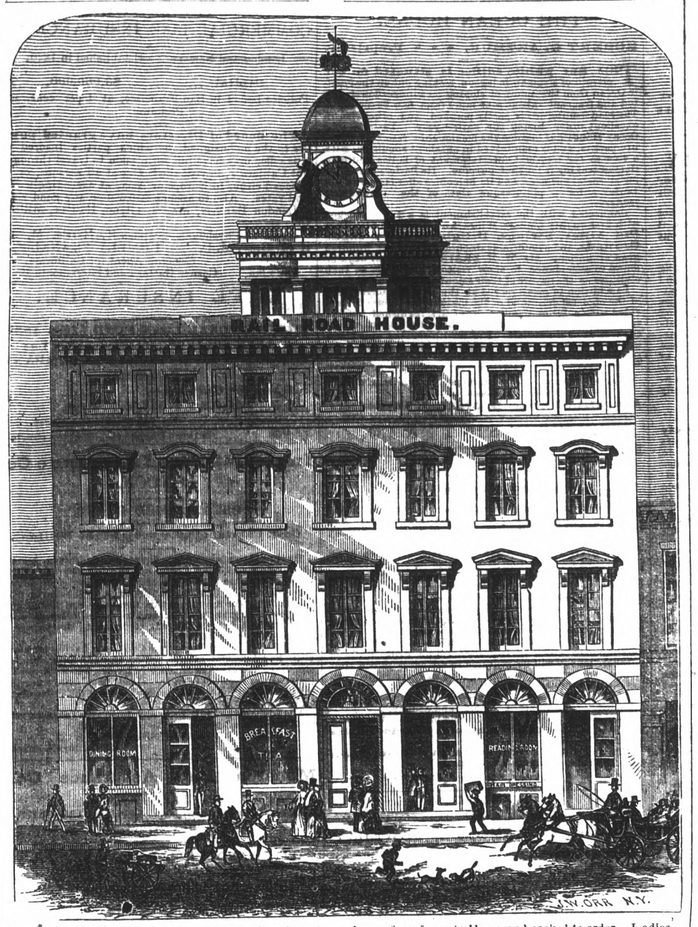

Nos. 46 & 48 Commercial St., and 87 Clay Street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

The stranger will easily distinguish this Hotel by observing the Cupola and Town Clock, which are visible from all parts of the city, and from the balcony of which a most beautiful view of the city, bay and surrounding country can always be obtained. No other Hotel in the city possesses the same advantages.

This Hotel is a First Class House, Fire-proof throughout; lighted by gas; water and all modern improvements in every story; situated in the most central part of the city; the most clearly and best kept Hotel on the Pacific. Single or double rooms, with or without board. Meals at all hours from 5 A M to 11 P M, and cooked to order. Ladies' Ordinary, second story.

A Great Reduction in Prices, to keep pace with the times, enables the visitor to live better and more economically at the Rail Road Hotel, than elsewhere. See Bill of Fare, and observe the variety of food and moderation of charges.

The visitor is also entitled to the free inspection of numerous large and beautiful views along the Panama Railroad, Chagres River, and Great Atlantic and Pacific Rail Road.

No runners attached to this establishment, as its proprietors depend upon its own merits.

HALEY & THOMPSON,
Proprietors.

RAIL ROAD HOTEL.

NOTICE.

RAILROAD HOUSE,

48 Commercial and 87 Clay Streets,

☞ NEAR FRONT ☜

HALEY & THOMPSON - - - Proprietors.

Dinner from 12 o'clock M. to 7 P. M.

SOUPS.			
Chicken	12	Tomato	12
Mock Turtle	12	Julien	12
Pea Soup	12	Oyster	25
Vegetables	12	Boston Chowder	12
Bean	12	Clam	25
FISH.			
Salmon boiled	12	Rock Cod Anchovy sauce	12
Bass, Anchovy sauce	12	Tom Cods fried	12
Salt Codfish boiled	12	Smelts fried	12
Salt Mackerel boiled	12	Salmon "	12
		do smoked	12
BOILED.			
Mutton, mint sauce	12	Chicken, Oyster sauce	50
Lamb, "	12	Mutton and turnips	12
Corn'd Beef & Cabbage	12	Rabbitt, parsley sauce	25
" Pork "	12	Cold Ham	12
Mutton caper sauce	25	Crives Head, brain sauce	12
ROASTS.			
Beef	12	Turkey	50
Veal	12	Chicken	50
Pork	12	Mutton stuffed a la jardiniere	25
Duck	37	Lamb do do	25
Teal	50	Pig	12
Goose	37	Mutton	25
Brant	37		
Venison, Cranberry sauce			25
Beef, sirloin roast and jelly			25
Vegetables of all kinds			12
ENTREES.			
Broiled Chicken	75	Chicken Pie	37
do Quail	50	do Pot Pie	37
Chicken Fricassee	50	Beef Steak Pie	37
Chick Curry & Rice	37	Veal Pot Pie	12
Lamb and Peas	25	Kidney Pie	25
Salme Duck	24	Rabbit Pie	25
Game Pie	25	Bird Pie	25
Oysters fried	5	Giblet Pie	25
Salmon baked	12	Game Pie	25
Corn & Beans baked	12	Rabbit Fricassee	25
Pigs Head stewed	12	Kidney stewed	25
Sm'thered Duck & onions	25	Beef Tongue & Tomato's	25
ENTREES.			
Stewed Birds	25	Calves Head	12
Stewed Giblets	25	Calves Head Hash	12
Potted Pigeon	25	Calves Feet fricasseed	12
Pork and Beans	12	Pigs Head & spinage	12
Corn'd Beef & jar nipe	12	Pigs Head and parsnips	12
Bacon & spinage	12	Brain Fritters	12
Lamb's Heart and Tomatoes	12	String Beans	12
		Sweet Potatoes	12
Beef stewed and onions	12		
PUDDINGS.			
Bread	12	Indian	12
Rice	12	N Y Plum	12
Tapioca	12	Plum	12
Suet	12	Apple Dumplings	12
Railroad	12		
PIES.			
Cranberry or Gooseberry	12	Green Apple	12
Cherry or Quince	12	Green Rhubarb	12
Peach or Plum	12	Mince	12
Fruit	12	Apple	12
California Peach	12	Custard or Squash	12
Cup Custard	12		
DESSERT.			
Apple, Cranberry and other Sauces and Jellies			12
Cakes of all kinds			12

BREAKFAST AND SUPPER.

Steak, Porter House	50	Cutlets, Veal	25
Steak, Tenderloin	37	Cutlets, Mutton	25
Steak, Spanish style	37	Chop, Mutton	25
Steak, Plain	25	Chop, Lamb	25
Steak, Pork	25	Liver and Pork, fried	12
Steak, Venison	25	Fish fried	12
Ham broiled or fried	25	Tripe stewed	12
Clams in batter	37	Beef stewed and onions	12
Tripe in batter	25	Veal stewed	12
Tripe broiled	25	Mutton stewed	12
Salmon broiled	25	Pork Sausages	25
Ham and Eggs	37	Fish Balls	12
Eggs poached	25	Beef Hash	12
Omelette	25	Pigs Feet soused	25
Eggs, fresh, each	12	Pigs Feet in batter	25
Mackerel boiled or broil'd	25	Roasts of all kinds	12
Oyster Fritters	37	Apple Fritters	12
Hot Corn Bread	12	Hot corn batter cakes	12
Hot Tea Biscuit	12	Hot flannel cakes	12
Hot Waffles	25	Hot buckwheat cakes	12
Breakfast Rolls	12	German Rolls	12
Rice Cakes	12	French Rolls	12
Boston Cream Toast			12

Hot English Muffins from 6 to 10 o'clock, A M. Hot Egg Muffins morning and evening.

Bowl of Milk, with Bread, Rice or Mush.....25 cts.
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First appearance in California of the following talented artists, who have been engaged at an enormous expense, and imported from New York to join the original and popular SAN FRANCISCO MINSTRELS:

Mr W BURCH, alias Brudder Bones, the talented and versatile Ethiopian Commedien, who has been acknowledged by the most discriminating audiences, in all the principal States of the Union to be the very 'de pins ultra' of Ethiopian delineators;

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C HENRY, the elegant and pleasing Ballad Singer, who stands alone in the rendering of those pleasing songs which have been the theme of universal admiration;

MAX ZORER, 'The Jenny Lind of Ethiopia," whose warblings and imitations of Jenny Lind the Nightengale, Miss Louisa Pyne, and the various Prima Donnas of the day, has struck all listeners with wonder and delight.

Mr E DEAVES, the Baritone and Buffo Singer, and celebrated Ethiopian performer;

R M HOOLEY, the talented Leader, Violinist and Concertina performer, his first appearance in three months—all of whom have been lately connected with the original Geo. Christy and Woods' Minstrels, New York, will have the honor of appearing in conjunction with Messrs EPH HORN, the "old and tried" San Francisco Favorite; JOHN SMITH, the talented author and old plantation negro delineator; G. COES, the talented Banjoist; N. LOTHIAN, W D. CORRISTER, etc.

Box open from 10 o'clock A M to 4 o'clock P M, when seats can be secured.

Children in arms not admitted.

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Dress Circle	$1 00
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Doors open at 6½ o'clock; Curtain raises at 7½ o'clock.

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French Propellers,	American Velocipedes,
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Fancy Baskets,	Nursery Baskets,
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Swords,	Guns,
Pistols,	Drums,
Grace Hoops,	Battledoors,
Lotos,	Fancy Cradles,
Ladies' Cabs,	Gents' Companions,
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Porte Folios,	Port Monnaies,
Backgammon Boards,	Mantle Vases,
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Chessmen,	Tin Kitchens,
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Dolls, dressed and undressed, from half an inch to four feet in length; of Wax, China, Rubber, etc.

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Farms,	Villages,	Furniture, etc.
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Games of all kinds. Japanese Goods at cost.

Ladies and Gents will not forget the place, Stockton st. near Jackson.

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Nos. 74, 76, 80 and 87 Long Wharf,

— AND —

Nos. 109 and 111 Clay street.

SAN FRANCISCO.

—BILL OF FARE.—

SOUPS.

Clam Chowder	12	Boston Chowder	12
Chicken	25	Romen Soup	12
Oyster	25	Spanish	12
Oyster Stew	50	Mock Turtle	12
Tomatoe	12	Yankee	12
Pea	12	Brown	12
Ox Tail	12	Macaroni	12
Queen	12	Julien	12
Mutton Broth	12		

BOILED.

Corned Beef and Greens	12	Salmon, Egg sauce	12
do do Cabbage	12	Codfish, Oyster sauce	12
do Pork do	12	Bass, pickle sauce	12
Mutton and caper sauce	12	Mackerel, white sauce	25
Pig's Head and Cabbage	12	Ham and Greens	12
Calves' Head, brain sauce	12	Spiced Beef	12
Beef Natural and carrots	12		

ROASTS.

Baked Pork and Beans	12 cents		
Beef	12	Mutton	12
Veal	12	Lamb	12
Pork	12	do Mint sauce	25
Pig	12	Elk	12
Venison	12	Pigeons	25
Chicken	50	Turkey	50
Goose	37	Duck	37

ENTREES.

Broiled Teal Duck, whole	50 cents		
Beef a la mode	12	Harriest Mutton	12
Fricand-au Veal	12	Stewed Beef and Tomatoes	12
Ragout Veal	12	do do onions	12
Curried Veal and Rice,	12	do Liver, wine sauce	12
Stuffed Veal	12	do Tripe, Italian	12
Fricassee Chicken	50	do Mutton, Irish	12
Pig's Head and parsnips	12	do Calves' Head	12
Rabbit Fricassee	12	do Tongue & tomat's	12
Lamb and spinage	12	do Lamb's Heart	12
Veal Pot Pie	12	do Calves' Feet	12
Game Pie	25	do Goose	12
Beef Steak Pie	12	do Ducks	12
Veal Pie	12	Potted Pigeon	25
Rabbit Pie	12	Fish, a la provencale	12
Chicken Pie	50	Mutton Cutlets, tomato s'e	12
Clam Pie	12	Lamb and green peas	25
Fried Brains	2	Broiled Quail	0
Venison Pot Pie	12	Stewed Curlew	12
Chicken Pot Pie	37	do Hare	12
Smothered Duck with Onions	25 cents		

VEGETABLES.

Mash'd and boil'd potatoes	12	Succotash	12
Green Peas	12	Green Corn	12
String Beans	12	Greens	12
Cabbage	12	Sweet Potatoes	12
Mush and Milk	12	Rice and Milk	12

PUDDINGS.

Bread	12	Tapioca	12
Rice	12	Plum	12
Sago	12	Apple Dumplings	12
Suet	12	N Y Plums	12
New England	12	Indian Suet	12

PIES.

Mince	12	Custard Pie	12
Apple	12	Pan Custard	12
Squash	12	Quince Pie	12
Pumpkin	12	Green Pea	12
Peach	12	Cranberry	12
Cream Cakes	12	Doughnuts	12
Cup Cakes	12	Pound Cake	12
Hot English Muffins for Breakfast	12 cents		
Egg Muffins	12 cents		

BREAKFAST AND SUPPER.

Beef Steak	12	Fish Balls	12
Pork do	12	do Hash	12
Veal Cutlets, breaded	12	Beef do	12
Raphael Sausages	12	Tripe in batter	12
Liver and Pork	12	Cold Ham	12
Fried Bass	12	Cold Head Cheese	12
do Salmon	12	Soused Pigs' Feet	12
do Tom Cods	12	Broiled Tripe	12
do Smelts	12	Veal Cutlet plain	12
do Oysters	50	Milk Toast	12
Stewed Tripe	12	Butter do	12
do Beef and onions	12	Dry do	12
do Veal	12	Brown Bread	12
Buckwheat Cakes	12	Graham do	1
Corn Batter do	12	French Rolls	12
Hot Corn Bread	12	Mutton Stew	12
Hot Biscuit	12	Bread and Milk	12
Hot Rolls	12		
Beef Steak, Cooked to Order	25 cents		
Black and Green Teas, Coffee or Chocolate	12 cents		

DISHES COOKED TO ORDER

Porter House Steak	37	Ham and Eggs	37
Sirloin do	37	Fried Ham	25
Tenderloin do	37	Omeletts	25
Beef Steak, Spanish style	37	Fresh Eggs each	12
Mutton Chops	25	Fried Onions	12
do Cutlets	25	Broiled Mackerel	25
Veal Steak broiled	25	Boiled do	25
Clams in batter	25	Oyster Fritters	25
Broiled Salmon	25		

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One set "Wood Gibson" Double Harness;
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Two fine Figured Blankets;
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BUILDING.—J. W. Sullivan the world renowned newsman, is putting up a brick building on Washington street, near the Custom House, the increase of his business requiring a corresponding increase of space and convenience. The build will be two stories in height twenty four feet front, by forty in depth.

HOSE COMPANY.—We have now in the Department fourteen Engine and three Hook and Ladder Companies—enough for all practical purposes for ten years to come. What the organization requires with them is a prompt and active Hose Company, with a four wheeled carriage, capable of carrying from fifteen hundred to two thousand feet of hose. At a large fire there is too much borrowing and lending of hose from one company to another; all of which takes up valuable time, which would be obviated by a Hose Company specially detailed for that purpose.—Twenty five men would be an ample complement to perform the duties attending the carriage. If we mistake not, a Hose Company has been in embryo for some time past. Let the projectors of that one see to it.

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—AND—

GENERAL DIRECTORY

And have made extensive arrangements for conducting them satisfactorily to all who may favor us with their patronage.

As these new branches possess some novel features and not having been h retofore introduced in this city, we deem it proper to make manifest their advantages, not only to our own citizens, but to all who may visit our city.

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This department is an agency for leasing and letting DWELLING HOUSES, STORES, sHOPS ROOMS and BUILDINGS of every description, and will receive the attention its importance demands. From the advantages derived from the "Directory Department," and having made arrangements for receiving information IMMEDIATELY when premises are vacated, we shall possess superior facilities for providing at the shortest notice, Houses, Rooms, and places of business of all kinds, in any part of the city where required. All persons who may have vacant premises, will find this a desirable medium of obtaining tenants for the same, and their business is respectfully solicited.

GENERAL DIRECTORY!

This department will include a REGISTRY, (already prepared) of all persons (except Chinese) within the limits of the city; by reference to which we will be enabled to give the name and residence of all Merchants, Mechanics Artists, Professional men, Laborers, and those out of business, which will be continually corrected as they change their residence, and will receive additions from time to time, as new comers arrive

We consider the information which our register will afford to be of essential importance, as well to our own community as to strangers, from the fact of changes occurring so frequently among us, and it having been demonstrated that published Directories are nearly useless in a month or two after being issued This, with other information in our possession, enables us to present a COMPLETE EPITOME of the entire city, which we shall keep "posted up" to keep pace with the movements of its inhabitants

This department will be under the supervision of an agent who has had a large experience in this branch, here and elsewhere.

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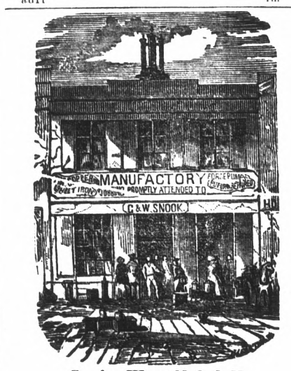

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